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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

11 HARRY LEMASTER and CAROLYN
 LEMASTER,

12 Plaintiffs,

13 v.
 14 ALLIS-CHALMERS CORPORATION
 PRODUCT LIABILITY TRUST, et al

15 Defendants.

Case No. C 08-3316 PJH

**REQUEST FOR JUDICIAL NOTICE IN
 SUPPORT OF DEFENDANT RELIANCE
 ELECTRIC COMPANY'S OPPOSITION
 TO MOTION TO REMAND**

Date: September 17, 2008
 Time: 9:00 a.m.
 Dept.: 3, 17th Floor

17 Reliance Electric Company ("Reliance") hereby submits a Request for Judicial Notice
 18 through application of Federal Rule of Evidence 201.

19 1. That the affidavit of Affidavit of Admiral Ben J. Lehman, which is attached to the
 20 Declaration of Evan C. Nelson is a true and correct copy of the same affidavit submitted in the
 21 case of Machnik v. Buffalo Pumps, 506 F.Supp.2d 99, 103-104 (D.Conn.2007).

23 DATED: August 27, 2008

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